




AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER				Docket No. 1422-0411P	
Application No. 09/485,298-Conf. #001749		Filing Date February 8, 2000		Examiner Y. J. Kim	
				Art Unit 1637	
Applicant(s): Junko YAMAMOTO et al.					
Invention: METHODS FOR DNA AMPLIFICATION AND KITS THEREFOR					
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated April 20, 2005, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes: An Amended Set of Claims; and
Remarks.